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DEVICE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE
COMPRISING A HEAT ENGINE AND AT
LEAST ONE ELECTRIC MACHINE

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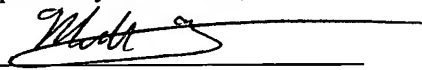
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